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- 25X1 1. source determined that, on 15 December, Colonel Kirilov (fnu) of rocket launcher Unit which was quartered at the Hindenburg Kaserne, Schwerin, had been transferred to the U.S.S.R. and that Colonel Liduta (fnu) was his successor. Source learned that the Hindenburg Kaserne would possibly be turned over to the VP. Two sheds, each 20 x 12 meters and 30 x 12 meters, were erected in the Krueger Kaserne for which had received new guns. Colonel Golub (fnu) had been transferred to the U.S.S.R. His successor was still unknown. On 19 December 1952, source determined that Major General Polamonov (fnu) of the Goerries airfield who had been the commanding officer of the AAA units quartered at the Adolf Hitler Kaserne, had been transferred to the U.S.S.R. on 15 December 1952. His successor was still unknown. On 16 December 1952, source
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- 25X1A which was stationed at the Goerries airfield was commanded by Colonel Panomurenko (fnu) and that Major Zapzyni (fnu) was an officer of this unit. General Inauri (fnu), General Uzov (fnu) and General Zavin (fnu) still were at the Goerries airfield. ¹
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- 25X1C 1952, that 28,800 eastmarks had been allocated for an officers' club building for which was quartered in the Ulmen Kaserne, Rostock, and commanded by Colonel Zandulenko (fnu) and 22,000 eastmarks for an officers' club building for naval ²
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- 25X1C 1952, that rooms in a block of the Flak Kaserne, Wismar, were converted at the costs of 19,500 eastmarks into an officers' club for artillery Unit which was commanded by Colonel Negerevich (fnu). ³
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- 25X1C that 27,000 eastmarks had been allocated for an officers' club house for artillery Unit which was commanded by Colonel Dranslenko (fnu) and was stationed at the airfield in Ludwigslust. He also learned that 52,000 eastmarks were allocated for erecting garages for artillery Unit which was commanded by Colonel Baladin (fnu) and was stationed at the field; and 64,500 eastmarks were allocated for erecting garages and ammunition storage chambers for artillery Unit which was commanded by Colonel Lebedov (fnu) and was stationed at the airfield. Lieutenant Colonel Moloshenko (fnu) was an officer of this unit. ⁴
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5. Source learned that 46,000 eastmarks were allocated for erecting quarters for personnel of headquarters [] in Eldena. Major Shopov (fnu) belonged to this headquarters.

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- 25X1A 1. [] Comment. [] the 10th Gds RL Regt of the IX Mtz Rifle Corps under Colonel Kirilov (fnu) who had previously been reported as stationed at the Hindenburg Kaserne in Schwerin prior to 17 December 1952. []

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[] unit, probably the Hq 4th Gds AT Arty Brig (US) as stationed at the Moltke Kaserne and Krueger Kaserne prior to 17 December 1952. Colonel Goluk (fnu) is carried as an officer of this unit. [] the unidentified engineer battalion of the IX Mtz Rifle Corps in Schwerin-Goerries prior to 11 December 1952. Panomarenko (fnu) without rank and assignment had previously been reported from Schwerin. Major General Polamonov (fnu) who was reported for the first time possibly was the artillery commander with the Hq IX Mtz Rifle Corps to whom units including the unidentified AAA regiment of the corps may have been subordinate. The location of this regiment was unknown except for vague indications for Goerries and the Adolf Hitler Kaserne. The present information tends to indicate that the regiment is possibly quartered in the Adolf Hitler Kaserne. Major General Inauri (fnu) probably is the commanding officer of the afore mentioned corps. According to available records, Major General Zavlin (fnu) is an officer of the corps headquarters. Major General Uzov (fnu) is carried as the SCC chief in Schwerin.

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[] Comment. [] was previously reported in connection with a naval aviation unit in Peenemuende. [] a unit, probably the Hq 3rd Gds AT Arty Brig with Colonel Zandulenko (fnu) who is known from previous reports as stationed at the Ulmen Kaserne in Rostock prior to 8 December 1952.

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[] Comment. [] the 199th Gds Gun Arty Regt of the 94th Gds Mtz Rifle Div with its commanding officer Lieutenant Colonel Negerevich (fnu) who is known from previous reports as stationed at the Flak Kaserne in Wismar prior to 4 December 1952. Negerevich has possibly been promoted to colonel.

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[] Comment. It is believed that [] with Colonel Lebedev (fnu) who was previously reported belongs to an artillery unit in Ludwigslust. [] to the Hq 18th Mecz Div in Perleberg. Although source repeatedly reported a unit [] in Ludwigslust, it does not appear plausible that an artillery unit [] should be quartered in Ludwigslust. Colonel Baladin (fnu) was repeatedly reported in connection with the unit. [] the 592d Mort Regt of the 18th Mecz Div prior to 1 December 1952. Observations of arms, however, indicated that upon return from summer practices the regiment was stationed in Perleberg rather than Ludwigslust. Colonel Dranslenko (fnu) was previously reported by the same source in connection with this unit.

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